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In re Application of:

ROONEY et al.

Title:

HIGH PERFORMANCE COIL WIRE

Docket No.:

BSP2102US02

Box PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate under 37 CFR § 1.10.
- ☒ Request for Continuation Application Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) with a copy of the prior application as filed in U.S. Serial No. 09/078,946, consisting of: Specification (12 pgs. including 21 claims); Abstract (1 pg.), and 1 formal drawing sheet; declaration as filed in U.S. application Serial No. 09/078,946.
- ☒ **PLEASE CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 19-0765 for the required filing fee of \$690.**
- ☒ A preliminary amendment (2 pages).
- ☒ A return postcard.

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Independent Claims:	1	- 3 =	0	x \$78 =	\$0
Basic Fee:					\$690
TOTAL:					\$690

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10:

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Applicant: ROONEY et al.

Examiner: Unassigned
(in Parent App.: 09/078,946)

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUATION
APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of prior application Serial No. 09/078,946, filed on May 14, 1998, entitled HIGH PERFORMANCE COIL WIRE, with the following inventor(s):

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☒ A copy of the prior application as filed is enclosed including a copy of the oath or declaration filed in the parent application.

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application including any amendment referred to herein.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 to § 1.18 or 37 C.F.R. § 1.15(b)(1) which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-0765.

- ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence, "This is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/078,946, filed May 14, 1998."
- ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Scimed Life Systems, Inc. as recorded at Reel 9325, Frame 0499.
- ☒ The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to:
 - Luke Dohmen, Reg. No. 36,783
 - Peter J. Gafner, Reg. No. 36,517
 - Todd P. Messal, Reg. No. 42,883
- ☒ Address all future communications to:
 - Todd P. Messal, at the address listed below.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the

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